

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</b>	:	<b>CRIMINAL ACTION</b>
	:	
v.	:	<b>NO. 23-198-4</b>
	:	
<b>JOSEPH COLE BARLETA</b>	:	

**ORDER**

**AND NOW**, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 2024, upon considering Defendant's Motion to dismiss Count 49 (ECF No. 193) relating to a claim of obstructing, influencing, or impeding an official proceeding, noting the United States does not oppose the requested relief, and for good cause, it is **ORDERED** we **GRANT** Defendant Joseph Cole Barleta's unopposed Motion (ECF No. 193) requiring we **dismiss** Count 49 (obstruction of justice under section 1512(c)(2)) as to Defendant Joseph Cole Barleta only.

  
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**KEARNEY, J.**